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A RESOLUTION to recognize outstanding adult educator, James Carl Anderson.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those exemplary educators who have given unreservedly of themselves to enhance the development of adult education throughout our state; and

WHEREAS, Mr. James Carl Anderson is one such exceptional person, whose efforts and integrity in education should not go unrecognized; and

WHEREAS, for two consecutive years, Carl Anderson has been lauded as one of Tennessee's outstanding adult educators for his efforts in coordinating the Adult Basic Education programs in Jackson County; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Anderson earned a Bachelor of Science degree in biology from Tennessee Technological University, received his Master of Education degree from the University of Colorado at Boulder, and was awarded an Ed.S. at TTU; and

WHEREAS, he has served the adult education programs in his community with remarkable adeptness and enthusiasm, as his position includes coordinating the ABE Learning Center, evening GED classes, TOPS and JOBS ABE/GED day classes, and special adult tutoring sessions; and

WHEREAS, under Mr. Anderson's leadership, Jackson County adult education programs have grown tremendously, enrolling over 1,200 students and awarding more than 300 GED's since 1987; and

WHEREAS, appropriately, Mr. Anderson was featured in the 1994 edition of <u>GED</u>

<u>Highlights</u> as one of nine outstanding adult educators in Tennessee, selected from 5,000 Adult

Basic Education employees; and

WHEREAS, Carl Anderson is a never-ending source of inspiration to those who know him; and, as a professional and friend, Mr. Anderson is the perfect example of a person totally committed to the betterment of his fellow human beings; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby recognize and commend Mr. James Carl Anderson for his meritorious service to education, salute his expertise and dedication to the Jackson County Adult Basic Education program and wish him all the best in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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